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did not prevent the boys of those days from having their fun—indeed, they carried on an amount of devilment which the college boys of times times would consider respectable.

The boys thought that anything was fair which would make one of the faculty the view of the faculty of the consider respectable.

tim of a joke, and on one occasion they laid a dark plot to rob the doctor's poultry yard and afterward celebrate the event by a mid-

night barquet.
The doctor's chickens were the pride of his domestic establishment, and he had built for their accommodation a log house. The logs were "notched down" at the corners and held in place by their own weight and the roof. At a late hour the boys repaired to the her house, armed with a fence rail. It was ar easy matter to insert the rail between two logs and prize up those above, so as to make an opening through which a man could crawl. A dapper young fellow, who had visited the doctor's daughters, went in and began to pul

the chickens off the roost and wring their necks. While he did so the boys outside kept their weight on the rail, and so kept the crack open for his escape. The nice young han, whom we will call Bob, had dropped about a discount of the control of about a dozen chickens outside, and the whole crowd was in high glee over the pros pective banquet.

DANGER AT HAND.

Just then a big, old rooster crowed. "Look out, Bob; break that rooster's neck

and stop his noise."
"Sh! What's that?"

There was a low growl,
"Boys, you have let these logs down too
low; lift them a little so I can get out. Be quick about it."

At that instant there was a loud back and At that instant there was a font once and a big dog bounded into the poultry yard. The boys on the outside for an instant stood their ground. They dropped the rail and they grabbed chance weapons to beat off the dog, but before they could disable him the door of the doctor's residence opened and his tall figure appeared. The boys scattered, all

The logs had come together again and Bob was a prisoner. He crouched in a cor-ner and held his breath, hoping that he would be overlooked, but the dog told where he was. By this time the doctor had come up and other members of the family came out, eager to see who was caught in the man trap.
"Why, it's Bob."

"Who would have thought it?" The exclamations were heard in the house and echoed by the young ladies. Then the door of the log house was opened and the young man was sent to the dormitory. He was called before the faculty the next morning. The poor fellow would have sold himself for a song, and expected to be peremptorily expelled and perlups presented.

THE DOCTOR'S CONCLUSIONS. Meantime the destor had thought the mutter over. He was a man of great sagacity in the management of be's, and he recognized this freak as a piece of wild mischief which snight not be meanness. He resulved to give the matter such disposition as would put a sober band on the young man. Accordingly, when Bob appeared, looking like a criminal, the doctor lectured him severely, but in a fatherly way, and told him that such as offense must not go without a severe punish-

Bob expected the sentence of his expulsion. With measured tones, like a judge prenouncing the death sentence, the dector said:

"Mr. -- , I will expect you to take supper with me to night, and, as you show a fondness for chicken, the fewls you took off the coost last night will be on the table." Bob would rather have been expelled. But

for the distress it would cause his parents be would have gone home. In spite of his barks there was good stuff in Bob, and with a trein adous effort he resolved to face the music.
It is impossible to describe the mental ag-

ony Bob went through that evening when he sol at the table where the doctor presided with courtly dignity.

His elegant wife could not have been more courteons to an henored guest than she was to Hob, and her daughters treated the young man as cordially as ever. Not a word was said about the affair of the night before, but the b. c dish of chickens was like a mountmin is the poor boy's eyes. It was the refine ment of forture when the doctor, with the utmost snavity, helped him to the choicest

The situation, which, under ordinary cir connstances, would have been ludicrons, under the doctor's composure and his wife's tact was carried almost to the pathetic. It was a lesson written on Bob's memory in burning letters, and he never forgot it.—At-

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